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HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital, \$5,000,000 Dollars.  
Reserve Fund, \$1,000,000 Dollars.

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HONGKONG.

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ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.  
For Fixed Deposits:—  
For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.  
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Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.  
Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager.

Office of the Corporation,  
No. 1, Queen's Road East,  
Hongkong, February 27, 1878.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

CAPITAL, \$200,000.  
RESERVE FUND, \$150,000.  
Bankers.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

THE CITY BANK.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH in HONGKONG grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection bills of exchange; and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.  
Local Bills discounted, and interest allowed on Current Accounts and Deposits for fixed periods on terms which may be ascertained on application.

DEVOS'S BRILLIANT OIL.

RELIABLE, ECONOMICAL, SAFE!!

It is a fact that the world's attention is being drawn to the use of Oil, and that the demand for it is increasing rapidly. The Oil which is used in the most advanced and most economical manner is that which is produced by the process of distillation. This Oil is of a pure and clean quality, and it is of a color which is very pleasing to the eye. It is of a consistency which is very suitable for use in the most advanced and most economical manner. It is of a price which is very reasonable, and it is of a quality which is very reliable. It is of a color which is very pleasing to the eye, and it is of a consistency which is very suitable for use in the most advanced and most economical manner. It is of a price which is very reasonable, and it is of a quality which is very reliable.

For Sale.  
LAMMER, ATKINSON & CO.

HAVE FOR SALE.

VEYRON'S FRENCH COFFEE MACHINES, Assorted Sizes, New System, with Automatic Lamp.  
COFFEE ROASTERS, and COFFEE MILLS.  
SERVING GARDENING UTENSILS.  
GREEN'S PATENT LOGS.  
METALLIC MEASURING TAPES, in strong leather Cases.  
SPIRIT LEVELS, HAMMERS.  
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SAILORS' SEWING and ROPING PALMS.  
COPPER SIGNAL LAMPS, and MASTER HEAD LAMPS, fitted with Dioptric Lenses according to the latest Admiralty regulations.  
DIOPTRIC LENSES for Signal Lamps.  
POTHOKE GLASSES, assorted sizes.

BOOKS.

TRAVELLER'S GUIDE BOOKS.  
LETTER DIARIES, for 1878.  
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WORKS OF REFERENCE and GIFT BOOKS.

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IMMORTAL TRACING PAPER.  
ROBERTS' CELEBRATED CUTLERY.  
MAYNARD'S SOISSORS.  
MAYNARD'S WRITERS.  
LETTER SCALES.  
STATIONERY OF ALL KINDS.  
BROWN WRAPPING PAPER.  
CARD-BOARD, Assorted Colours.  
DYE HOUSES, INVOICE FILES.  
GOLD PEN-MAKING MACHINES.  
CHURCHWOOD'S BLACK WRITING INK, MAUVE INK.  
MAYNARD & NOTES, WRITING and COPYING INK.  
VOLLAGE, &c., &c., &c.

KELLY & WALSH'S  
CELEBRATED SMOKING MIXTURE,  
and  
HAPPY THOUGHT TOBACCO.

Very Fine MANILA CIGARS, CIGARETTES, &c., &c.  
BARCLAY & PERKINS' PORTER, in Hhds. of 40 Kilobars.  
Finest CHERBOURG BUTTER, in bottles.  
Hongkong, May 6, 1878.

FOR SALE.  
COKE and TAR in Quantities to suit Purchasers, at CHEAP RATES.

Apply to  
GAS COMPANY,  
West Point.  
Hongkong, June 19, 1878. jyl9

Intimations.  
HONGKONG SILVER SUBSIDIARY COINS.

NOTICE is hereby given that these COINS, of the respective Values of 20 CENTS, 10 CENTS, and 5 CENTS Each, can be obtained at par at the Colonial Treasury, and at the Hongkong & Shanghai Bank.

By Command, J. M. PRICE,  
Act. Col. Secretary.  
Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Hongkong, June 27, 1878. jyl1

NOTICE.  
TENDERS are invited for DOCKING the British Bark "FAIR LEADER," for examination, and a Separate Tender for CAULKING and RE-METALLING the Vessel.

The Captain reserves to himself the right to reject the lowest or any other Tender.  
Apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, June 27, 1878. jyl4

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY.  
NOTICE.

WE Beg to intimate that, during the months of July, August and September, the Price of ICE will be 2 1/2 Cents per lb. The smallest quantity sold 4 pounds.  
As the demand at present is more than we can meet, and will be heavier during the above months, we have decided upon this advance in price solely with the object of keeping the consumption within the producing power of our present machinery, and so endeavouring to give all consumers a share. As soon as we feel the demand falling off, the price will be reduced again to the usual 2 Cents per pound.  
While thanking the Community for the support they have hitherto accorded us, we trust they will bear with us at this time in our efforts to meet the wants of all, as next year, with the addition of our new Machinery, there will be no lack of supplies, and consequently no necessity for going beyond the charge of 2 Cents per lb.  
EYRE & BAILEY,  
Hongkong, June 27, 1878. jyl1

For Sale.  
EX LATE ARRIVALS.

DRAWING PAPER.  
FABRICA'S EAU DE COLOGNE.  
TRACING PAPER and CLOTH.  
QUININE.  
RED INK for STEEL PENS.  
BASS'S ALE and GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by Foster.  
PRICKLY HEAT SOAP.  
SUMMER SOCKS.  
LAWN TENNIS BATS and BALLS.  
NEW SHIRTS and COLLARS.  
GRAPHOSCOPES.  
STUDENT'S DICTIONARIES.

PEN-MAKING MACHINES.  
CARBOLIC ACID.  
NEW PLAYING CARDS.  
IRIDESCENT FLOWER VASES.  
IRIDESCENT SPECIMEN GLASSES.  
FLOWER TROUSERS.  
ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.  
AMERICAN ICE PITCHERS.  
TABLE CUTLERY.  
GOLD LEAF TOBACCO.  
THE NEW LIFE JACKET.  
G. B. D. PIPES.  
IRISH CONSTABULARY REVOLVERS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
HAVE JUST RECEIVED THEIR SUPPLY OF THE NEW SEASON'S  
OUMSHAW MIXTURE.  
This well-known and delicious Tea, is a most acceptable present to home friends, and is delivered free of all charges or duty to any part of Great Britain, at \$8 per 5 Catty and \$14 per 10 Catty Box.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, June 24, 1878.

Intimations.  
NOTICE.  
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. are prepared to SUPPLY FAMILIES and SHOPS with the SUGARS MANUFACTURED by the ORIENTAL SUGAR REFINERY.  
Hongkong, June 18, 1878. jyl

G. FALCONER & Co.,  
WATCH and CHRONOMETER MANUFACTURERS,  
and  
JEWELLERS.  
NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS and BOOKS.  
48, Queen's Road Central,  
Hongkong, June 20, 1878. jyl20

BALL'S  
NECTAR COORDIAL,  
MADE FROM HERBS,  
A STIMULANT AND APPETIZER.  
WHOLESALE AGENTS FOR GREAT BRITAIN:  
MESSRS. GEO. CURLING & Co.,  
St. Mary Axe, London.  
W. BALL,  
China Dispensary, Hongkong.  
June 20, 1878. jyl20

W. BALL,  
CHINA DISPENSARY.  
IMPORTER OF DRUGS, CHEMICALS, DRUGGISTS' Sundries, TOILET REQUISITES, PATENT MEDICINES and PERFUMES.  
Prescriptions Dispensed with Carefulness, and Prompt Attention.

PRAVA WEST, HONGKONG,  
Near the Canton Steamer's Wharf,  
Hongkong, July 13, 1878.

Shipping.  
Steamers.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCOW.  
The Steamship "DOUGLAS,"  
Captain G. D. PITMAN, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 2nd July, at Noon, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co.,  
Hongkong, June 20, 1878. jyl2

MONTHLY SERVICE.  
FOR COOKTOWN, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE,  
Taking Cargo and Passengers for all Australian and New Zealand Ports,  
TASMANIA, NEW CALEDONIA & FIJI.

The Departure of the Australasian Steam Navigation Co.'s Steamship "OCEAN,"  
Edmondson, Commander, is unavoidably POSTPONED until FRIDAY, the 6th July, at 4 p.m.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, June 23, 1878. jyl6

FOR LONDON.  
The Steamship "CALDERA,"  
ROBERT BYRON WILLIAMS, Commander, will be despatched as above on or about the 15th July.

The "Caldera" has good Accommodation for First-class Passengers.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
Hongkong, June 8, 1878. jyl5

Shipping.  
Steamers.  
NOTICE.  
COMPAGNIE DES MESSEGERIES MARITIMES.  
PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.  
The Company's Steamship "VOLGA,"  
Commandant ROZLAND, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail.

H. DU POUEY,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, June 23, 1878.

NOTICE.  
COMPAGNIE DES MESSEGERIES MARITIMES.  
PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.  
The Company's Steamship "ANADYR,"  
Commandant MOREAU, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from Europe.

H. DU POUEY,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, June 23, 1878.

Sailing Vessels.  
FOR SAN FRANCISCO.  
The A 1 American Bark "NAVESINK,"  
BARSTOW, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.,  
Hongkong, June 13, 1878. jyl13

FOR LONDON.  
The A 1 British Clipper Ship, "SIR HARRY PARKES,"  
S. CHAPMAN, Master, having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged, will meet with quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to  
MEYER & Co.,  
Hongkong, June 12, 1878. jyl

FOR LONDON.  
The A 1 British Bark "KENYON,"  
COLVIN, Master, will load here, and will have immediate despatch for the above Port.

For Freight, apply to  
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,  
Hongkong, June 20, 1878.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.  
The A 1 Ship "SIR CHARLES NAPIER,"  
FRENCH, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have immediate despatch.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, June 17, 1878.

FOR LONDON.  
The A 1 British Ship "NEASSA,"  
GARROCK, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to  
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,  
Hongkong, June 4, 1878.

FOR NEW YORK.  
The A 1 American Bark "H. G. JOHNSON,"  
COLBY, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to  
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.,  
Hongkong, May 20, 1878.

Entertainment.  
THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

DAVE CARSON'S MINSTREL, Variety and Comedy Company.  
FOR A FEW NIGHTS ONLY,  
Previous to their departure FOR ENGLAND.

AN ENTIRE CHANGE OF PROGRAMME ON EACH OCCASION.

During the Stay of the Company, there will be produced  
THE LATEST  
GEMS OF ETHIOPIAN MINSTRELSY, ORIGINAL SONGS and DANCES, and BURLESQUE SKETCHES.

FARCES!  
COMEDIETTAS!  
AND OPERETTAS!!!

TO-NIGHT,  
1st JULY, 1878,  
THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMME WILL BE PRESENTED.

PART FIRST.  
MINSTRELSY!

Pianist, MRS. CARSON.  
Violinist, MR. FRANK STEWART.  
Introductory Overture, DAVE CARSON'S MINSTRELSY.  
Opening Chorus—"Op-er-a-tion," D. CARSON'S CHOIR.  
Song—"Dear Old Land I'm Leaving," MR. J. E. ARNOLD.  
Comic—"Sassy, Quit Your Fooling," MR. GEO. NORVILLE.  
Ballad—"Come, Bri-die, Come," MR. J. H. FERRELL.  
Comic—"The Language of Love," DAVE CARSON.  
Song—"Hark! The Drum," MR. GEO. NORVILLE.

Part First will Terminate with THE SWISS WARBLERS, INTRODUCING BURLESQUE TYROLEAN, and AUTOMATON IMITATIONS.  
An Interval of Five Minutes.

PART SECOND.  
VARIETY!!

"ETTA,"  
IN HER CHAMPION HIGH PEDESTAL DANCE.

Vocal Duet—"THE SAILOR SINGS"—Balls, MESSRS. FERRELL AND NORVILLE.

To be followed by  
DAVE CARSON,  
THE SCHOOL MASTER ABROAD,  
Introducing His Wonderful Imitation  
THE BLUE TAILED FLY.

Song—"LET BROTHERLY LOVE CONTINUE"—C. D'ACE.  
MR. J. E. ARNOLD.

FINALE TO PART SECOND  
"ETTA,"  
In Her Great Skating Speciality  
THE PRIDE OF THE RINK.

An Interval of Ten Minutes.

PART THIRD.  
COMIC OPERA!  
The Performance will conclude with Offenbach's Popular Opera, entitled  
"BREAKING THE SPELL."

CHARACTERS.  
Peter Bloom (A Gardener)..... MR. GEO. NORVILLE.  
Old Matthew (A Chelsea Pensioner)..... MR. J. B. FERRELL.  
Jenny (Maid of the Inn)..... MRS. CARSON.

Time—1706.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:  
Private Boxes to hold four, Ten Dollars.  
Dress Circle or Orchestra Stalls..... Two Dollars.  
Pit..... One Dollar.

Children under Twelve years of age, half price to Dress Circle and Orchestra Stalls only.  
Children in Arms, FIFTY DOLLARS!

Seats may be secured at Messrs Lane, Crawford & Co.'s, where a Plan of the Theatre may be seen.

Doors Open at 8 p.m.—Trouble begins at 9.  
Smoking Strictly Prohibited.

CONVEYANCES MAY BE ORDERED FOR 11.15

Dave Carson's United Minstrel and Burlesque Album, containing the Bangsies "Baboo and 24 other Popular Songs and Chorus, with Pianoforte Accompaniments, can be obtained of Messrs Lane, Crawford & Co. and at the Door.  
Price, \$1.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1878. jyl2

DENTAL NOTICE.  
DR. ROGERS begs to intimate to his Friends that he is about to visit SHANGHAI, and will be absent from Hongkong from April 1st to June 15th.  
Hongkong, March 4, 1878.

Auctions.  
PUBLIC AUCTION.

LAMMER, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on  
TUESDAY,  
2nd July, 1878, at 3 o'clock p.m., at No. 8, West Terrace,

The Property of a Gentleman changing Residence,—  
The whole of his Elegant and Substantial HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising—Drawing-room Suite, Bedroom/Suites, Mirrors, Crockery, Glass, and Plated-ware, Cutlery, Engravings, Clocks, Ornaments, &c., &c., &c.

Catalogues will be issued, and the whole will be on view previous to the Sale.

TERMS.—Cash before delivery in Bank Notes.  
Hongkong, June 28, 1878. jyl2

NOTICE.  
THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Premises, at Noon on SATURDAY, 29th of JULY, all the valuable LAND, HOUSES, &c., &c., situated at the Port of TAMSUI, FORMOSA, and known as the PAOU-SHUN PROPERTY, in TWO LOTS.

Lot 1 Consisting of GODOWNS, DWELLING HOUSE, GARDENS, STABLES, &c., &c.  
Lot 2 a plot of UPLAND GROUND very suitable for building purposes.

For particulars of property, and terms of sale, apply to  
ELLES & Co.,  
Tamsui.  
Tamsui, 18th June, 1878. jyl10

PUBLIC AUCTION.  
VALUABLE LAND and GODOWNS, &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on  
TUESDAY,  
the 16th July, 1878, at Half-past Three P.M.,

In the Bank Buildings, Queen's Road,—  
The following very VALUABLE LOTS of LAND, with GODOWNS, &c., erected thereon, at Wanchai and Bowington in Hongkong.

Particular attention of Investors is invited to the Sale of these very suitable Properties.

The LOTS will be put up Separately as under.

LOT No. 1.  
All that PIECE or PARCEL of Ground situated at Wanchai in Hongkong, and Registered in the Land Office as Marine Lot No. 110, which said Piece or Parcel of Ground contains in the whole about 20,400 square feet, with Four Godowns Numbered 1, 2, 3, and 4, erected thereon, and one Timber Yard. Crown Rent, \$324 per Annum.

LOT No. 2.  
All that PIECE or PARCEL of Ground situated at Wanchai in Hongkong, and Registered in the Land Office as Marine Lots No. 113 and 114, which said Piece or Parcel of Ground No. 113 contains in the whole about 19,964, and No. 114 contains in the whole about 10,110 square feet, with Eight Godowns Numbered 50, 50A, 50B, 50C, 50D, 51, 52, and 53, erected thereon. Crown Rent, \$456 per Annum.

LOT No. 3.  
All that PIECE or PARCEL of Ground situated at Wanchai in Hongkong, and Registered in the Land Office as Marine Lot No. 120, which said Piece or Parcel of Ground contains in the whole about 17,400 square feet, with Four Godowns Numbered 54, 54A, 55, and 55A, erected thereon. Crown Rent, \$180 per Annum.

LOT No. 4.  
All that PIECE or PARCEL of Ground situated at Wanchai in Hongkong, and Registered in the Land Office as Inland Lot No. 445, which said Piece or Parcel of Ground contains in the whole about 5510 square feet, with One Godown Numbered 6, and one Blacksmith's Shop, erected thereon. Crown Rent, \$54.16 per Annum.

LOT No. 5.  
All that PIECE or PARCEL of Ground situated at Bowington in Hongkong, and Registered in the Land Office as Inland Lot No. 745, which said Piece or Parcel of Ground contains in the whole about 12,017 square feet, with Four Godowns Numbered 92, 92A, 93, 93A, erected thereon. Crown Rent, \$188.28 per Annum.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-fourth of the Purchase Money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the Balance on completion of the Deed or Deeds of Transfer, the expenses of which to be paid by the purchaser.

The Property to be at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

For further Particulars, apply to  
H. N. MODY,  
Auctioneer,  
Hongkong, June 24, 1878. jyl10

## Notices of Firms.

REUTERS TELEGRAM COMPANY, LIMITED.

HONGKONG AGENCY.

ON and after July 1st, Mr W. H. NOTLEY will conduct this Agency until further notice.

By Order,

STANLEY COPE, Agent.

Hongkong, June 29, 1878. jy6

## NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr EDWARD DUNNINGHAM in our Firm in Hongkong and China, CEASED on the 31st December last.

RUSSELL & Co.

China, March 8, 1878. se8

## NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr ARTHUR CHART in our Firm CEASED on the 31st December last.

J. INGLIS & Co.

Hongkong, June 13, 1878. del3

## NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr S. J. DAVID in our Firm at this Port, and in China, CEASED on the 31st December, 1878.

E. D. SASSOON & Co.

Hongkong, June 14, 1878. jy14

## NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of the Undersigned in the Chinese Mail, 華字日報 (Wah Tze Yat Po), CEASED from the 1st August, 1877, but Debts prior to that Date will be received and paid by him.

CHUN AYIN.

Hongkong, April 6, 1878.

## NOTICE.

IN Reference to the above, the Undersigned has LEASED the Chinese Mail from the 1st August, 1877, and has engaged the services of Mr LAM YOK CHUN, as Translator and General Manager of the newspaper, which under its new régime will be found to be, as hitherto, an excellent medium for advertising, especially as the Manager is able to devote his whole attention to the conduct of the Newspaper.

KONG OHM.

Manager of the Hongkong Chinese Mail, Hongkong, April 6, 1878.

## NOW READY.

A CHINESE DICTIONARY IN THE CANTONESE DIALECT. Parts I. and II. A to M, with Introduction. Royal 8vo, pp. 404.—By ERNEST JOHN EITEL, D.D. Tubingen.

Price: FIVE DOLLARS, or TWO DOLLARS AND A HALF per Part.

To be had from MESSRS LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai; and MESSRS KELLY & WALSH, Shanghai.

Hongkong, March 1, 1878.

## Notices to Consignees.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Consignees of the undernoted Cargo are hereby informed that unless the same be taken delivery of within one month from this Date it will be sold to defray expenses.

A R 1/2, 2 Cases MUSKETS, Ex "Oxfordshire," from London, 3rd March, 1876.

JARDINE, MATTHEWSON & Co.

Hongkong, June 29, 1878. jy29

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for counter-signature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

H. DE POUREY, Agent.

Ex "Yangtze," SP (in triangle) Order, 100 bags } from Sharp Stones, ..... } Medras.

Ex "Ara," JARG Order, 8 bales Cotton, from Galle, Macao.

Ex "Amazona," 4 casks 1896, The Tide Surveyor, Wine, from 1 M. Customs, Canton, Marcelline.

TH 1644, Mr L. Thevenin, from Marcelline.

1 case Ink, ..... Marcelline.

EX (under heart) 10 casks Wine, ..... Marcelline.

B (in triangle) 1 case Mer- chandise, ..... from Galle.

Hongkong, June 29, 1878.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

H. S. AMAZONS.

## NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per S. S. Euphrates, from London, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees, before To-day, the 24th Instant, at Noon, requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

Goods remaining unclaimed after SATURDAY, the 29th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

H. DE POUREY, Agent.

Hongkong, June 24, 1878.

## For Sale.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THIS REFINERY MANUFACTURES

LOAF SUGAR, (in 5, 10, and 15 lbs. Loaves.)

CUBE SUGAR, (1/2 lb's Patent).

CRYSTALLIZED SUGAR, mark C. S. R. (in diamond) 4 1/2 lb's.

Fine WHITE SUGAR, mark C. S. R. (in diamond) 4 1/2 lb's.

Medium WHITE SUGAR, mark C. S. R. (in diamond) 4 1/2 lb's.

Fine YELLOW SUGAR, mark C. S. R. (in diamond) 4 1/2 lb's.

COFFEE SUGAR, mark C. S. R. (in diamond) 4 1/2 lb's.

GOLDEN SYRUP, SYRUP, and MOLASSES.

SPIRITS OF WINE and LAMP SPIRIT.

RUM, 45°, 30°, O. P., and Naval.

ANIMAL CHARCOAL and DUST.

AMMONIACAL LIQUOR, from Bones.

BONE TAR (a preventive of white ants).

ROUGH BONE TALLOW.

Packed in Quantities and Packages to suit Customers.

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March 5, 1878. se5

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THE 90 A 1 BRITISH STEAMSHIP "ARGENTINO," 915 Tons Register (1426 Tons Gross). For Particulars, apply to the Captain on Board.

Hongkong, June 4, 1878.

## Intimations.

THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES.

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PRINCIPAL OFFICE, 120, BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

Assets ..... \$31,700,000

Surplus ..... \$ 5,600,000

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong, China, for the above Company, are prepared to Accept Risks at greatly reduced rates and upon terms very favourable to the assured.

For full information and particulars, apply to

OLYMPHANT & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, January 21, 1878.

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China Mail Office, Hongkong, May 13, 1878.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—

AMERICA, British steamer, Captain J. Graham.—Birley & Co.

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ELNORSE, British ship, Captain Joshua Belyea.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAI.

The Steamship "STAD AMSTERDAM" will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to MELORE & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, July 1, 1878. jy1

## To-day's Advertisements.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Following is the SCALE of RATES for SILK, with Average, that will be Charged by the above Company at this Port for the present Season.

To the Continent; by Mail Steamers,..... 1 1/2 %

United Kingdom; do. .... 1 1/2 %

do. by Holt's & Glen Stra.,..... 1 1/2 %

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By Order, W. H. RAY, Secretary.

Hongkong, July 1, 1878. au1

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The 41 British Bark "ANNIE LORWAY," BENJAMIN GILES, Master, will load here, and will have quick despatch as above.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

Hongkong, July 1, 1878.

## SHIPPING.

## ARRIVALS.

June 29, *Salvadora*, Spanish steamer, 635, Larriaga, Manila June 26, General.—REMBEDOS & Co.

June 30, *Madras*, British steamer, 1079, W. Richardson, Nigata June 19, Rice.—LANE & Co.

June 30, *Anna Bertha*, German barque, 468, Peterson, Cooingong (Cochin-China) June 24, General.—WM. POSTAU & Co.

June 30, *Zambesi*, British steamer, 1541, Alfred Symons, Borneo June 10, via Galle, Penang, and Singapore 24, Malls and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

June 30, *Stad Amsterdam*, Dut. steamer, 1778, H. Sluiter, London May 17, via Ports of Call, and Singapore June 25, General.—MELORE & Co.

June 30, *Sea Gull*, British steamer, 997, Wm. Smith, Manila June 27, General.—JARDINE, MATTHEWSON & Co.

July 1, *Java*, Dutch steamer, 886, R. Weber, Singapore June 24, General.—OARDE.

July 1, *Nippo*, British steamer, 761, R. Oms, Shanghai June 27, General.—SIZEN & Co.

July 1, *Lorne*, British steamer, 1085, McCulloch, Nigata June 21, Rice.—MELORE & Co.

## DEPARTURES.

June 30, *Albion's Isle*, for Quinhon.

30, *Japan*, for Chetso.

30, *Yokohama*, for Swatow.

30, *Auria*, for Saigon.

30, *Trio*, for Newchwang.

July 1, *Borneo*, for Nagasaki.

1, *Gustav & Marie*, for Amoy.

1, *Golden Spur*, for Tournon.

1, *Nippo*, for Canton.

1, *Rajanathanwar*, for Bangkok.

## CLEARED.

*Malina*, for Yanzhou.

*Esperanza*, for Newchwang.

*Mosquito*, for Melbourne.

*Cassandra*, for Saigon.

*Lady Bowen*, for Nagasaki.

*Conquest*, for Hoihow.

*Karo*, for Guam.

*Hermann*, for Socloco.

## PASSENGERS.

## ARRIVED.

Per *Salvadora*, from Manila, Mrs and Miss Brull and two children, Mrs and Miss Orduna, Messrs J. Lopez, N. Robles, J. Brull, and A. Cardell.

Per *Zambesi*, for Hongkong: from Southampton, Mr F. Flanley, Lieut. H. Oldfield, and Mr W. Sullock; from Bombay, Mr A. Slater; from Melbourne, Mr J. Grimes; from Singapore, Deputy-surgeon Gen. Gilborne, and 65 Chinese.—For Shanghai: from Southampton, Messrs W. Warr, G. Falkman, L. Hoxley, G. Hanner, and W. Ballour.—For Yokohama: from Southampton, Messrs J. Kinloch, W. Leckie, J. Ritchie, Miss Shaw, and Miss Vincent.

Per *Stad Amsterdam*, from London, &c.: for Shanghai, Mrs Williamson and daughter, Mrs Maclean, and Mr D. O. Bourke; for Hongkong, Messrs J. Gebhardt, S. Olet, and 3 Chinese.

Per *Sea Gull*, from Manila, Mr P. M. Saltarel.

Per *Nippo*, from Shanghai, Mr Christensen, and 48 Chinese.

Per *Lorne*, from Nigata, 3 Chinese.

Per *Anna Bertha*, from Cooingong, 2 Chinese.

Per *Java*, from Singapore, 181 Chinese.

## DEPARTED.

Per *Menelaus*, for London, Mrs Hopkins; and about 125 Chinese.

Per *Albion's Isle*, for Quinhon, 2 Chinese.

Per *Japan*, for Chetso, 3 Chinese.

Per *Yokohama*, for Swatow, 57 Chinese.

Per *Golden Spur*, for Tournon, 6 Chinese.

Per *Rajanathanwar*, for Bangkok, 152 Chinese.

## TO DEPART.

Per *Cassandra*, for Saigon, 28 Chinese.

Per *Conquest*, for Hoihow, 40 Chinese.

Per *Hermann*, for Socloco, 4 Chinese.

## SHIPPING REPORTS.

The Spanish steamer *Salvadora* reports: Fine weather throughout the passage.

The British steamer *Madras* reports: Strong South-westerly gales throughout.

The British steamer *Sea Gull* reports: Light airs and calms throughout.

The Dutch steamer *Java* reports: First part of passage rainy weather, latter part fine weather and Southern winds.

The British steamer *Nippo* reports: Moderate S.W. monsoon and fine weather throughout.

The British steamer *Lorne* reports: Mostly strong South-westerly winds, rainy weather to Turnabout, thence light winds and fine weather.

## CARGO.

Per American ship *Great Admiral*, Hongkong to San Francisco, sailed 13th June, 1878.—32,645 bags Rice, 493 bags Beans, 140 bags Peas, 281 bags Sugar, 84 bags Gambler, 3,199 bags Oil, 787 boxes Flour, 483 pags. Soy, 196 pags. Wine, 243 pags. Fire Crackers, 101 pags. Matting, 63 pags. Chinaware, 6 skins 124 pags, 125 pags.

Tobacco, 61 pags; Rattans, 50 pags. Rattan Chairs, 300 pags. Paper, 40 pags. Trunks, 527 pags. Tea (Souchong), 10,540 lbs., 10 pags. Cinnamon, 207 pags. Arrow-root, 94 pags. Vermicelli, 3,981 pags. Sundries, and 20,442 pieces Granite.

## POST OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAILS will close:—

For SHANGHAI.—

Per *Zambesi*, at 11 a.m. To-morrow, the 2nd Inst. Late letters received from 11.10 to 11.30, with 18 cents late fee.

Per *Stad Amsterdam*, at 5 p.m. To-morrow, the 2nd Inst.

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHEW.—

Per *Douglas*, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 2nd July, instead of as previously notified.

For SAIGON.—

Per *Quarta*, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the 3rd July.

For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.—

Per *America*, at 4.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 4th Inst.

For COOKTOWN, SYDNEY, AND E. AUSTRALIA.—

Per *Ocean*, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the 5th July, instead of as previously notified.



## To Let.

**THE DWELLING HOUSE** No. 6, Mosque Terrace, in Club Chambers, THE BUNGALOW, No. 24, Cane Street, THE DWELLING HOUSE, No. 17, Wellington Street.

Apply to  
**DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.**  
Hongkong, July 1, 1878.

## TO LET.

**IN** the Houses on MARINE LOT 65, formerly known as the Blue Houses, situate on Praya East.

**HOUSE** No. 2, Praya East. The basement, together with First Floor, or separate if desired, with possession on the 1st July.

**HOUSE** No. 3, Praya East. The whole House or in Flats, with possession on the 1st of August.

As also,

The Dwelling House to the Eastward of Pier at Wanchai. May be had as an entire Dwelling or in Apartments of two or three Rooms to suit convenience, with immediate possession. Fine spacious Verandah looking on to Harbour.

## TO LET.

**FIRST CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS**, attached to Blue Houses at Wanchai, MARINE LOT 65.

For particulars, apply to  
**MEYER & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 21, 1878.

## TO LET.

**HOUSE** No. 9, Queen's Road Central, with Godowns attached.  
Houses No. 2, and 9, Seymour Terrace.  
**DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.**  
Hongkong, January 4, 1878.

## Halls.

## Occidental &amp; Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

**TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE, IN CONNECTION WITH THE CENTRAL**

**AND CONNECTING RAILROAD COMPANIES**

**AND ATLANTIC STEAMERS.**

**THE S. S. "GABRIEL"** will be dispatched for San Francisco via Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 4th July, at 3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States and Europe. Connection is made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai.

Freight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 3rd July. PARCEL PACKAGES will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. same day: all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same to be required.

A Reduction is made on RETURN Passages Tickets.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central.

**G. B. EMORY, Agent.**

Hongkong, June 17, 1878.

**NOTICE.**  
**COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.**  
**PAQUEBOIS POSTE FRANCAIS.**

**STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSAILLES;**

**ALSO, BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND PORT LOUIS.**

**ON SATURDAY**, the 6th July, 1878, at Noon, the Company's S. S. **APR**, Commandant **HERNANDEZ**, with **MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, AND CARGO**, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 6th July, 1878. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are required.

Further particulars, apply at the Agency's Office.

**H. DU POUY, Agent.**

Hongkong, June 24, 1878.



**STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSAILLES;**

**ALSO, BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND PORT LOUIS.**

**THE PANAMA AND OCEANIC STEAM-Navigation Company's Steam-ship TEHERAN**, Captain **A. JOHNSON**, will leave this on SATURDAY, the 18th July, at Noon.

For further Particulars, apply to  
**A. LIND, Superintendent.**  
Hongkong, June 20, 1878.

## Intimations.

**AFONG, PHOTOGRAPHER,**  
by appointment, to  
**H. E. SIR ARTHUR KENNEDY,**  
**H. E. ADMIRAL ALFRED P. RYDER,**  
and to  
**H. L. H. THE GRAND DUKE ALEXIS OF RUSSIA.**

**HAS** on hand the Largest and Best collection of Views of China, Photographs of the Ruins and destructions at Canton, caused by the Tornado of the 11th Instant. Coloured Photographs of the English Ladies, Russian Leather, Velvet, Morocco, and Carved-wood Photographs Albums, Scrap Books, Armorial Monograms and Postage Stamp Albums; Frames and Cases, Gilt Moulding for Frames, all of assorted sizes, tastes and prices.

**NOTICE OF REMOVAL.**  
The above has the pleasure to inform his numerous Customers and the Public of Hongkong, that his Photographic Establishment is Removed to the Newly-erected Comedious Building in Queen's Road Central, next to Messrs SANDER & Co.'s.  
Hongkong, April 29, 1878.

## IMPERIAL MARITIME CUSTOMS.

CONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLY OF LIGHT-HOUSE OIL.

**SEALED TENDERS** will be received at this Office till July 31st next, for the supply of 5000 Gallons VEGETABLE OIL for use at the LIGHT-HOUSES in the Southern Division of China, for the Year 1878. Printed forms of Tender for each of the 3 following kinds of Oil can be had at this Office on application, viz:

1st TEA-NUT OIL.  
2nd PEA-NUT OIL.  
3rd RAPE-SEED OIL.

The Oil to be perfectly pure and unmixed, of the best quality and color, and quite free from all impurities and sediment, and is to be delivered at the Customs Godowns at Amoy in the following quantities, viz:

1000 Gallons over before 1st November next.  
1500 " " " 1st December.  
2500 " " " 1st March, 1879.

The Oil as it is delivered will be measured at the Customs House and 14 Imperial gallons will be taken to weigh 1 pint, and each Tender must be accompanied by a sample in a clear glass bottle of not less quantity than half a pint.

No Tender will be accepted on any other terms than those issued from this Office.

The Governors to be headed "Tender for Light-house Oil."

The Commissioner does not pledge himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

**R. B. MOORHEAD,**  
Commissioner of Customs,  
Amoy, 16th June, 1878.

## INSURANCES.

## THE SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

**THE** Underigned having been appointed AGENT in Hongkong for the above-named Company, is prepared to Grant Policies against FIRE on Buildings and on Goods to the extent of £10,000, at the usual Rates, subject to an immediate Discount of 20 per cent.

Attention is invited to a considerable reduction in Premium for Life Insurance in China.

**J. Y. VERNON SHAW,**  
Hongkong, June 1, 1878.

## THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

**HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.**

**AGENCIES** at all the Treaty Ports of China and Japan; and at Singapore, Saigon and Penang.

Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at the above mentioned Ports.

**NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEES.**

**JAS. B. COUGHTREIE,**  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

## LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

**(FIRE AND LIFE.)**

**CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.**

**THE** Underigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to  
**ARNHOLD, KARBBERG & Co.,**  
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

## QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

**THE** Underigned are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE to the extent of £40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at current local rates, subject to a Discount of 20% on the Premium.

**NORTON & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

## INSURANCES.

## YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

**CAPITAL—Fully Paid-up—** £1,420,000  
**PERMANENT RESERVE—** £230,000  
**SPECIAL RESERVE FUND—** £104,000

**Total Capital and accumulations—** £1,754,000  
since this date.

**Directors:**  
**F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman.**  
**M. P. EVANS, Esq.,** **O. LUCK, Esq.,**  
**O. KREIS, Esq.,** **WM. MEYER, Esq.,**

**Secretaries:**  
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**Agencies in:**  
**HONGKONG, LONDON, SAN FRANCISCO, and the Principal Ports in the East.**

**POLICIES** granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World, at current rates.

Subject to a charge of 12% for interest on Shareholders' Capital, ALL THE PROFITS OF THE UNDERWRITING BUSINESS will be annually distributed among all Contributors of Business in proportion to the premium paid by them.

**RUSSELL & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, May 10, 1878.

## CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

**NOTICE.**

**POLICIES** granted at current rates on Marine Risks to all parts of the World, in accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two Thirds of the Profits are distributed annually to Contributors, whether Shareholders or not, in proportion to the net amount of Premium contributed by each, the remaining third being carried to Reserve Fund.

**OLYMPHANT & Co.,**  
General Agents.  
Hongkong, April 17, 1878.

## ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

**THE** Underigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

**MELCHERS & Co.,**  
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

## NORTH BRITISH &amp; MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

**Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.**

**ESTABLISHED 1809.**  
**CAPITAL £2,000,000.**

**THE** Underigned, AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000, on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20 per cent.

**GILMAN & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

## SHEONG ON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

**CAPITAL ONE MILLION DOLLARS.**

**Directors:**  
**KWOK ACHONG, Merchant.**  
**PANG YIM, Merchant.**  
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**LOO YAN, of the Yee On Hong, Merchant.**  
**LEE SING, of Lai Fong Firm, Merchant.**  
**CHENG SING YONG, Merchant.**  
**CHOW CHAN, Merchant.**

**Manager—HO AMEL.**

**POLICIES** against FIRE granted on Buildings and on Goods stored therein at CURRENT RATES, subject to Discount of 20% on the Premium.

**OFFICE, Nos. 8 and 9, Praya Wei.**  
Hongkong, August 23, 1877.

## THE LONDON ASSURANCE COMPANY.

**INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER**

**His Majesty King George The First, A. D. 1720.**

**THE** Underigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—

**Marine Department.**  
Policies at current rates payable either here, in London or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia.

**Fire Department.**  
Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates. A discount of 20% allowed.

**Life Department.**  
Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 at reduced rates.

**HOLIDAY, WISE & Co.,**  
Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

## MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

**THE** Underigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

**HOLIDAY, WISE & Co.,**  
Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

## Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked *a*, near the Kowloon shore *b*, and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked *c*, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

**Section.**  
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.  
2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works.  
3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office.  
4. From Harbour Master's Office to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.

5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.  
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.  
7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.  
8. From Pier to East Point.

Vessel's Name.	Anchor- age.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers								
America	2 h	Graham	Brit.	str.	563	May 13	Kwong Wing Shun	S'apore and Penang
Argentine	3 c	Barnett	Brit.	str.	915	April 25	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	4th inst.
Bertha	3 c	Langley	Brit.	str.	1421	June 18	Meyer & Co.	For Sale
Bombay	2 h	Langley	Brit.	str.	749	Feb. 12	Kwok Acheong	K'loon Do
Camco	2 h	Langley	Brit.	str.	95	Oct. 2	Kwok Acheong	Laid up
Cananda	5 c	Langer	Ger.	str.	947	June 24	Wm. Pustan & Co.	Saloon
Conquest	5 h	Scott	Brit.	str.	317	June 20	Kwong Lee Yuen	Hoihow & Haiphong
Douglas	5 h	Pitman	Brit.	str.	864	June 28	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Coast Ports
Fame	6 h	Stapani	Brit.	str.	117	June 28	H.K. & W'poo Dock Co.	To-morrow
Fitzpatrick	5 h	Munphries	Brit.	str.	597	April 18	Ge. Chong Hong	Pug Flying
Gaelic	5 c	Kidley	Brit.	str.	1712	June 20	O. & O. S. S. Co.	K'loon Do
Hesperia	4 c	Carlson	Ger.	str.	1136	June 22	Siemens & Co.	4th inst.
Java	4 c	Webster	Dut.	str.	886	July 1	Meyer & Co.	
Karo	3 c	Colling	Brit.	str.	979	June 27	Meyer & Co.	Haiphong
Kienchow	2 h	Grove	Dan.	str.	701	June 14	Kwok Acheong	at daylight
Kjbenhavn	2 h	Grove	Dan.	str.	701	June 14	Siemens & Co.	
Lorne	4 c	McClulloch	Brit.	str.	1035	July 1	Melchers & Co.	
Madras	5 c	Richardson	Brit.	str.	1079	June 30	Lindsay & Co.	
Malacca	2 h	Smith	Brit.	str.	1044	June 26	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Yokohama
Marila	4 c	Broker	Brit.	str.	1060	May 26	Siemens & Co.	Mail
Mayenne	2 h	Yun & Chun Yen	Anna.	str.	606	June 20	Siemens & Co.	
Norna	2 h	Walker	Brit.	str.	1100	June 19	Melchers & Co.	Swatow
Prinz Friedrich Carl	4 c	Mohr	Ger.	str.	731	June 26	Sooy hing	Saloon
Quarta	4 c	Hopkins	Brit.	str.	933	June 23	Yuen Fat Hong	Bangkok
Rajamannanhar	2 h	Laranga	Span.	str.	835	June 29	Romelos & Co.	4th inst.
Salvadora	4 c	Smith	Brit.	str.	927	June 30	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Today
Sea Gull	4 c	Shultz	Dutch	str.	1778	June 30	Melchers & Co.	
Stad Amsterdam	5 h	Shultz	Dutch	str.	1778	June 30	Melchers & Co.	Shanghai
Yangtze	2 h	Schulze	Brit.	str.	732	June 28	Siemens & Co.	Shanghai
Zambesi	2 h	Simons	Brit.	str.	1541	June 30	P. & S. N. Co.	K'loon Do
Sailing Vessels								
Anna Bertha	3 h	Peterson	Ger.	bge.	468	June 30	Wm. Pustan & Co.	
Annie Lorrain	4 c	Gales	Brit.	bge.	762	May 27	Borneo Co., Limited	
Areola	4 c	Penery	Brit.	bge.	947	April 24	Carlowitz & Co.	Callao
Aristide	4 c	Brand	Fch.	bge.	399	May 30	Carlowitz & Co.	
B. van Middelburg	7 c	Blanker	Dutch	bge.	628	June 17	Siemens & Co.	
C. O. Pearson	4 c	Swain	Amer. Sm. sc.	664	June 1	Order		
Cap Horn	7 h	Muller	Ger.	bge.	385	June 26	Wm. Pustan & Co.	Trieste
Channel Queen	7 h	Delachour	Brit.	bge.	609	June 11	Edward Bellhass & Co.	
Charlotte Andrews	3 c	Place	Brit.	bge.	355	June 19	Rozario Co.	
Civiale	3 h	Nissen	Ger.	bge.	379	June 17	Siemens & Co.	
Conchita	3 c	Arias	Span.	bge.	430	June 17	Remedios & Co.	
Eleanor	7 h	Jobson	Brit.	bge.	433	June 10	Meyer & Co.	
Elizabeth Childs	2 h	Landberg	Brit.	bge.	381	June 12	Yates & Co.	Haiphong
Esperance	2 h	Gullion	Fch.	bge.	272	June 12	Carlowitz & Co.	Wanchai
Fair Leader	2 h	Morris	Brit.	bge.	497	June 16	Russell & Co.	Cleared
Frederick	2 c	Romede	Brit.	bge.	809	May 30	Norton & Co.	Wanchai
Friedrich	4 c	Wulf	Ger.	bge.	594	May 29	Wm. Pustan & Co.	
Guan	4 c	Gregor	Brit.	bge.	290	June 12	Borneo Co. Limited	
H. G. Johnson	4 c	Colby	Amer.	bge.	1081	April 16	Vogel, Haldorn & Co.	London
Hedwig	7 c	Wanken	Ger.	bge.	210	June 2	Wielor & Co.	New York
Hermann	3 h	Poss	Ger.	bge.	453	May 27	Wm. Pustan & Co.	Spooob
Higlander	3 h	Ruthinson	Amer. sh.	1352	June 19	Captain		Coomong
Hindostan	1 h	Belyas	Brit.	sh.	1547	June 20	P. & O. S. Co.	
Holon	7 h	Kilper	Ger. Sm. sh.	281	June 13	Meyer & Co.		Tientain
Hylon Castle	2 c	Scott	Brit.	bge.	547	May 30	Arnhold, K'berg & Co.	Touron
Jean Pierre	4 c	Legasse	Fch.	bge.	607	June 18	Carlowitz & Co.	
Kanton	3 h	Colvin	Brit.	bge.	667	June 3	Vogel, Hagard & Co.	London
Kent	3 h	Fox	Brit.	bge.	582	May 30	Edward Schhass & Co.	
Lodore	3 h	Jones	Brit.	sh.	860	June 19	Meyer & Co.	
Magdala	1 c	Jones	Brit.	sh.	1289	June 20	Meyer & Co.	
Maivina	3 h	Kings	Ger.	bge.	479	June 2	Wielor & Co.	Wanchai
Marquis of Argyll	3 c	McKesson	Brit.	bge.	500	June 26	Rozario & Co.	Vauglam
Minna	3 h	Dan.	Ger.	bge.	457	June 17	Meyer & Co.	
Mosquito	1 c	Miles	Brit.	bg.	197	June 28	Rozario & Co.	Wanchai
Moss Glen	4 h	Nicholls	Brit.	bge.	549	May 29	Landstein & Co.	
Navesink	4 c	Barstow	Amer.	bge.	724	May 24	Russell & Co.	San Francisco
Norman Court	3 h	Shewan	Brit.	bge.	884	June 10	Captain	Foonchow
Northern Star	3 h	Wortley	Brit.	bge.	327	June 21	Wielor & Co.	
Nyassa	3 c	Garrick	Brit.	sh.	789	May 30	Vogel, Hagedo & Co.	London
Paralos	4 c	Pasco	Fch.	bge.	759	June 14	Carlowitz & Co.	Chefoo
Per Ardua	3 h	Taggart	Brit.	bge.	718	June 9	Meyer & Co.	
Riflesman	4 h	Bishop	Brit.	bge.	611	June 20	Vogel, Hagedo & Co.	Wanchai
Rosetta McNeil	4 h	Brown	Amer.	bge.	475	June 17	Carlowitz & Co.	
Saga	2 c	Saltre	Swed.	bge.	933	April 14	Butterfield & Sw	
Sarah Nicholson	2 c	Williams	Amer.	bge.	702	May 12	Meyer & Co.	
Silas Fish	2 c	French	Brit.	sh.	1161	May 27	Vogel, Hagedo & Co.	San Francisco
Sir Charles Napier	2 c	Chapman	Brit.	sh.	815	May 22	Meyer & Co.	London
Sir Harry Parkes	2 c	Simmons	Amer.	bge.	1004	June 21	Meyer & Co.	
Sontag	3 h	Clough	Amer.	sh.	1090	Sept. 5	Russell & Co.	
Tokata	4 h	Harrison	Brit.	bge.	805	June 2	Rozario & Co.	
Tyburn	2 c	Goldor	Brit.	bge.	948	June 19	Olyphant & Co.	
Wm. H. Deliz	3 c	Endfoot	Amer. Sm. sc.	487	June 4	Meyer & Co.		
Villa de Rivadavia	3 c	Canas	Span.	bg.	261	June 14	Brandao & Co.	
WEANFOA								
Condur		Godey	Ger.	bg.	241	June 23	Wielor & Co.	Tientain
Helene		Volquardsen	Ger.	bge.	372	June 26	Wielor & Co.	Chefoo
Nicolaus		Stalken	Ger.	sch.	187	June 26	Arnhold, Karberg Co.	Tientain
Pernia		McKirdy	Bel.	str.	8300	May 4	Olyphant & Co.	Honolulu & Callao
Sully		Sara	Fch.	bge.	387	June 18	Carlowitz & Co.	Tientain
CANTON								
Amoy		Drewes	Brit.	str.	814	June 27	Siemens & Co.	Shanghai
Ningpo		Cass	Brit.	str.	761	July 1	Siemens & Co.	Shanghai